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ORMAN P. ROACH, PROP.

PRICE LIST



1932

113 EMPIRE STREET
EAST LYNN, - - MASS.

TELEPHONE JACKSON 609

VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME TO MY GARDENS

TO MY CUSTOMERS

ORDER EARLY to avoid disappointments. We never substitute unless directed, we like to receive what we order, and believe our customers feel the same.

WE GUARANTEE all stock to be true to name and free from disease and will replace any that proves otherwise.

TERMS. We prepay all delivery charges and must request payment with all orders before shipping.

ORDERS will be shipped as soon as all danger of freezing has passed, unless otherwise directed.

DISCOUNT of 33 1/3% on all orders of six of one variety and 25% on six of any variety.

Abbreviations: (C) Cactus; (SC) Semi-Cactus; (FD) Formal Decorative; (ID) Informal Decorative; (M) Miniature.

MEMBER OF

Dahlia Society of New England

American Dahlia Society

National Association of Commercial Dahlia Growers

INTRODUCTION

In presenting my 1932 list of dahlias I have omitted full description on the older varieties as I feel they are well known. I wish at this time to thank my many customers for their kind patronage and I shall try my best to merit a continuance of that patronage by sending out only the best stock.

HAVE YOU TRIED MY GREEN PLANTS? I have shipped them far and near with the best results. Plants shipped to the state of Washington, and Oregon came through fine so my customers say. One man in Michigan writes, "When I dug my tubers this fall I could tell your plant clumps from other tuber clumps they did so well."

Many others have written the same in regards to my plants, why not try them.



MRS. FLORENCE LAMB (FD)

Large 10 inch blooms well out above the foliage on long stout stiff stems, a very sturdy grower with dark green foliage. Color is a deep garnet at the center, shading a bit lighter at tips of petals. Has been very much admired the past two seasons. Tubers \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

ADELICIA (ID)

A novelty of rare beauty, one that makes you go back the second time before leaving the garden. Plant grows about five feet tall and very robust. Stems are very long and stiff holding the seven and eight blooms well above the foliage. The petals are setarrated with three and four petloids at the base of each petal making the blooms very attractive. Color is pale lilac shading to white. Tubers \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

MRS. STANLEY R. PERRY (SC)

In this mammoth bloom we have a beauty that will grow twelve inches without any extra care. The plants are tall growing with great long stems that can be cut three or four feet long with the blooms standing erect, six and seven of these large blooms on one plant at the same time are very common to see. Color is deep orange, base of petals chrome yellow with a slight trace of carmine at tips of petals.

Tubers \$10.00 Plants \$5.00

KING OF YELLOWS (ID)

A very large flower of nine to ten inches in size, with very narrow wavy petals. Won a certificate of merit at Storrs in 1930. Color is buttercup yellow. Tubers \$10.00 Plants \$5.00

ALICE MEUSSDORFFER (FD)

This large and beautiful dahlia is one of the best. The color is pinkish orchid, without a trace of any other color. Has won many prizes the past season. Plants only \$7.50

ASBURY PARK (FD)

Bright strawberry red, suffused with salmon. Plants only \$5.00

ANDRES ERICSON (FD)

One of the finest of the whites. Plants only \$3.75

ADELPHIAN (FD)

Mallow purple, good. Tubers \$2.00

ANGELA MIA (FD)

A beautiful white with very fine stems. Tubers \$7.50 Plants \$3.75

ALLEPPO (FD)

Fine picric yellow. Tubers \$7.50 Plants \$3.75

BARBARA REDFERN (FD)

Old rose and gold. Tubers \$1.00

BERENGARIA (FD)

Orange and gold. Tubers \$1.50

CONGRESSMAN WOLVERTON (ID)	
Salmon pink, very fine. Plants only	\$2.50
CHAMPOEG (ID)	
Something new in the dahlia world. Immense flowers of waxy yellow, shading to reddish salmon. Plants only	\$5.00
CITY OF MONTREAL (FD)	
A very attractive bloom of large size. Color is aster purple reverse mallow purple.	
Tubers \$5.00 Plants	\$2.50
COQUETTE (ID)	
Musketeer red and gold. Tubers	\$1.50
CONQUESTADOR (Semi-cactus)	
Soft creamy yellow. Tubers	\$2.50
DONNA CALIFORNIA (ID)	
Rose pink suffused lavender, stems fine.	
Tubers \$7.50 Plants	\$3.00
DORIS FELLOWS (FD)	
Large perfectly formed flowers of pale yellow shaded to salmon at tips.	
Tubers \$5.00 Plants	\$2.50
DOROTHY STONE (ID)	
Very deep pink, blooms are large with stiff stems. Tubers \$4.00 Plants	\$2.00
DOROTHY DIX (FD)	
Silvery pink, with fine stem. Tubers	\$1.50
DR. JOHN CARMAN (FD)	
Color is tyrian rose. Tubers \$3.00 Plants	\$1.50
DWIGHT W. MORROW (ID)	
A gigantic new red. Plants only	\$5.00
EAGLE ROCK BEAUTY (ID)	
Pink and cream. Tubers	\$1.50
EDWARD THOMAS BEDFORD (FD)	
Deep purple. Tubers \$3.50 Plants	\$2.00
ELIZA LONDON SHEPPARD (ID)	
Color is orange apricot and gold.	
Tubers \$5.00 Plants	\$2.50
EDNA FERBER (SC)	
Coral pink to old gold. Tubers	\$1.50
EAGLE ROCK JEWELL (SC)	
Cream overlaid cameo pink. Tubers	\$1.25

ELITE GLORY (FD)	
Very large rich red. Tubers	\$1.00
FREDERICK W. CHURCH (ID)	
Very delicate in color, center pale rose purple and petals white, but tinted faintly with rose purple. Stems are stiff. Plants only	\$3.75
F. W. BUTLER (FD)	
Bronze and gold, with copper brown shadings, one of the best. Plants only	\$5.00
FORT WASHINGTON (FD)	
Very dark maroon. Tubers	\$1.00
FORT MONMOUTH (ID)	
Extra large crimson maroon.	
Tubers \$1.50 Plants	\$1.00
FRED W. PATTERSON (SC)	
Lavendar pink. Tubers	\$1.50
FRAU O. BRACHT (Cactus)	
Color is pale primrose yellow. Plants only	\$1.25
FRANK MILLER (FD)	
A new fine yellow. Tubers \$4.00 Plants	\$2.00
FLAME (SC) Heaphy	
Flame is a fine name for this variety as it resembles flame in color.	
Tubers \$5.00 Plants	\$2.50
GRAF ZEPPELIN (FD)	
A pure white that scored 86 at Storrs.	
Tubers \$3.00 Plants	\$1.50
GOLDEN SONNE (C)	
Golden yellow to salmon. Stock limited.	
Tubers \$1.50 Plants	\$1.00
GRACE CURLING (ID)	
They are very graceful on long stiff stems.	
Tubers \$3.00 Plants	\$1.50
GOLDEN HARVEST (HC)	
Extra large sulphur yellow, stems are fine.	
Plants only	\$3.00
GOLD IMPERIAL (FD)	
Brilliant gold with just a tint of lavendar.	
Tubers \$5.00 Plants	\$2.00
HATHOR (FD)	
Crimson orange. Tubers	\$.75

IDA PERKINS (FD)		
A true white. Tubers		\$1.00
JANE COWL (ID)		
Bronze buff and old gold. Tubers		\$1.00
JOSEPHINE G.		
Color, true rose pink, petals tipped pinrad yellow. Scored 86 at the trial gardens also on the 1931 Honor Roll. Plants only		\$2.50
JANET SOUTHWICK (ID)		
On the Honor Roll for 1931, very large and graceful. Color is deep tyrian rose with a rose sheen. Plants only		\$5.00
JEAN TRIMBÉE (SC)		
One for the largest class. Beautiful rich petunia violet in color. Plants only		\$3.75
JOHN WHITE (FD)		
A new pure white with good stems. Tubers	\$7.50	Plants \$3.00
JACK O'LANTERN (ID)		
Spanish red with gold tips. Tubers		\$.75
JERSEY'S BEAUTY (FD)		
True pink. Tubers		\$.50
JERSEY'S BEACON (FD)		
Chinese scarlet. Tubers		\$.50
JUNE JUSTICE (FD)		
Purple and tyrian rose. Tubers	\$4.00	Plants \$2.00
JUBILEE (ID)		
Massive blooms of red and yellow. Tubers	\$3.00	Plants \$1.50
JERSEY'S TRIUMPH (FD)		
Color is bright copper flushed with salmon. Tubers	\$5.00	Plants \$2.50
KATHERINE COLE (FD)		
A very pleasing cream tipped pink, stems are good. Plants only		\$3.00
KAWEAH (ID)		
The most talked of dahlia on the Pacific Coast, has been a big prize winner at all shows. The flowers are huge in size, twelve inches and up are common for this variety, the stems are long and stiff as a cane. Color is a rich fuchsia rose, center of petals shading to a rich velvety cardinal. If you want a big bloom don't miss this one. Plants only		\$7.50

KATHLEEN NORRIS (ID)

One of the largest and best of pinks.

Tubers \$1.00

KEMPS VIOLET WONDER (ID)

Napthaline violet. Tubers \$2.00 Plants \$1.00

LA RODA (FD)

Silvery rose pink, with good stem.

Tubers \$4.00 Plants \$2.00

LITTLE JEWELL (M)

Pink shading to white. \$.50

MARMION (ID)

Golden yellow, extra good. \$.50

MY COUNTRY (ID)

Beautiful garnet with white tips. Tubers \$1.50

MRS. ALFRED B. SEAL (FD)

The coloring in this beauty is unlike any other.

A rich old rose. Stems are extra good.

Tubers \$4.00 Plants \$2.00

MONMOUTH CHAMPION (FD)

Has won many prizes for the largest bloom.

Color is a brilliant flame.

Tubers \$4.00 Plants \$2.00

MING TOY (FD)

A regular Oriental color of pomegranite purple.

Tubers \$3.50 Plants \$1.75

MRS. FANNIE BEALS (FD)

Very attractive. Color is rose pink splashed and

striped tyrian rose. Tubers \$3.00 Plants \$1.50

MY RIO RITA (ID)

It was the second highest scoring dahlia last season. Bronze buff is the color.

Tubers \$7.00 Plants \$3.00

NATALIE KINGSTON (FD)

A deep chrome yellow that will grow extra large with extra care, stems are long and stiff.

Plants only \$7.50

NEW GLORY (SC)

Ox blood red with white tips.

Tubers \$2.00 Plants \$1.00

ORINDA (FD)

Mauve-pink is the color. Stems are long and stiff.

Tubers \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

PHYLLIS SHAW (FD)

Immense blooms of apricot orange with jasper red reverse. Long stiff stem.

Tubers \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

PAUL REVERE (FD)

Best of reds to date. Tubers \$1.50 Plants \$1.00

PRESIDENT WILSON (FD)

Crimson red with white tip. Tubers \$1.00

PENN CHARTER (FD)

Rich old gold blended with apricot.

Tubers \$5.00 Plants \$2.50

PANSY G. WHITE (Semi-Cactus)

This Kentucky novelty is certainly not given an apt name for it is a clear yellow in color.

Tubers \$7.00 Plants \$3.50

RUDY VALLEE (Semi-Cactus)

Large blooms on good stout stems. color when fully open is grenadine orange red.

Plants only \$5.00

ROSE FALLON (FD)

A very stately looking flower of old gold.

Tubers \$.50

SHAHRAZAD (ID)

New for 1932. Mammoth informal decorative that will grow extra large. The blooms are held aloft on long perfect stems. Color is deep pink.

Plants only \$7.50

SILVERY MOON (FD)

Said to be one of the best in the whites. Stems are long and stiff. Tubers \$7.50 Plants \$3.75

SAGAMORE PRINCE (FD)

Carminc blended to rose red, blooms are very attractive. Stems are perfect.

Tubers \$10.00 Plants \$5.00

STAR OF BETHLEHEM (ID)		
A beautiful star-like dahlia of pure white.		
Tubers	\$3.00 Plants	\$1.50
SANHICAN'S BEAUTY (D)		
Color is a rose shade. Tubers		\$1.00
SANHICAN'S QUEEN (D)		
Apricot and carmine rose. Tubers		\$1.00
SPOTTSWOOD BEAUTY (FD)		
Cathenay pink. Very stiff stems. Tubers		\$.75
SISKIYOU (SC)		
Pink tinged with mauve. Tubers		\$.60
THE LEMONADE (FD)		
Large pale lemon yellow. Tubers		\$1.00
THE WORLD (FD)		
Deep rosy magenta overlaid garnet with silver shadings on edge of petals.		
Tubers	\$3.00 Plants	\$1.50
THOMAS EDISON (FD)		
This gorgeous royal purple is a wonderful dahlia and should be in all collections. Stems are of the best. Tubers		\$5.00 Plants \$2.50
TREASURE ISLAND (FD)		
Color bright apricot with gold and rose shadings, has a long stiff stem. Tubers		\$2.00 Plants \$1.00
TRAFFIC LIGHT (FD)		
Brilliant red that grows large fine blooms. Stems are good. Tubers		\$5.00 Plants \$2.50
VALASKA (ID)		
Deep lilac, good stem. Tubers		\$1.00
VALENTINO (ID)		
Salmon pink and cream. Tubers		\$1.50
WALTER BLAKE (ID)		
A new yellow that will grow very large flowers, has long stiff stem. Tubers		\$7.00 Plants \$3.50
YELLOW PRINCESS (ID)		
Large yellow. Tubers		\$.75

